GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4306
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DEVELOPMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN RURAL AREAS .
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of districts included under D.W.C.R.A. so far, State-wise;

(b) the number of districts likely to be included under the said scheme during 1999-2000; and (

(c) the achievements made under the said scheme during each of the last three years, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

(SHRI SUNDAR LAL PATWA)
(a):- All the districts in the country were covered under the programme of Development of Women & Children in Rural Areas (DWCRA)

(b):- DWCRA has ceased to exist with effect from 1.04.1999. A new comprehensive Self Employment Programme - Swarnajayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana (SGSY) - has been launched with effect from 1.04.1999.

(c):- A statement showing the number of persons benefited under DWCRA, State-wise, during 1997-98 & 1998-99 is enclosed at Annexure.